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July 22, 2014

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Honorable Donald G. Couch, Jr., Chair Planning Committee Council of the County of Maui Wailuku, Hawaii 96793

Dear Chair Couch:

Respectfully transmitted are copies of the following communications that were referred to your Committee by the Council of the County of Maui at its meeting of July 22, 2014:

### **COUNTY COMMUNICATIONS:**

No. 14-185 - William Spence, Planning Director No. 14-188 - Michael P. Victorino, Council Member

Respectfully,

DANNY A. MATEO County Clerk

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Enclosure

cc: Director of Council Services

ALAN M. ARAKAWA Mayor

WILLIAM R. SPENCE Director

MICHELE CHOUTEAU McLEAN
Deputy Director



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OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

COUNTY OF MAUI

## **DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING**

July 7, 2014

OFFICE OF THE

Honorable Alan M. Arakawa Mayor, County of Maui 200 South High Street Wailuku, Hawaii 96793

For Transmittal to:

Honorable Gladys C. Baisa, Chair and Members of the Maui County Council 200 South High Street Wailuku, Hawaii 96793 APPROVED FOR TRANSMITTAL

Date

Dear Chair Baisa and Members:

SUBJECT: BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 16.13.070, MAUI COUNTY CODE, RELATING TO COMMERCIAL SIGNS

The Department of Planning (Department) is proposing to delete the requirement that a "business identification" sign must be located on the entrance side of the business. The amendment will allow business greater flexibility in locating their business sign for their business. The change does not allow them to place the sign off site of the business location or allow them to have any additional signs. (See Attachment)

The change would clarify the department practice of allowing businesses to place business identification signs on another exterior wall to the business in which no entrance exists and where a sign on the entrance side of the business would not be visible to the public.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. Should further clarification be necessary, please feel free to transmit your questions to the Department of Planning, attention Joseph Alueta, via transmittal through the Office of the Mayor.

Sincerely,

WILLIAM SPENCE

Planning Director

Attachments

xc: Joseph W. Alueta, Administrative Planning Officer

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General File

COUNTY COMMUNICATION NO.

14-185

ORDINANCE	NO.	

BILL NO. (2014)

# A BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 16.13, MAUI COUNTY CODE, RELATING TO COMMERCIAL SIGNS

#### BE IT ORDAINED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE COUNTY OF MAUI:

SECTION 1. Section 16.13.070, Maui County Code, is amended to read as follows:

"16.13.070 Signs authorized in airport, hotel/resort, business/commercial, apartment, and industrial districts.

Sign Type	Quantity	Maximum Size (square feet)	Possible Kinds	Other Regulations	Permit Required
Building Identification	1 per building frontage	See chart below; 16 square feet if projecting or hanging	Wall, window, hanging, projecting, wind, or roof	Must be a multi- tenant building	Yes, if sign is greater than 12 square feet
Business identification	1 per business frontage; 1 additional sign may be permitted if business is directly adjacent to more than one street	See chart below; 16 square feet if projecting or hanging	Wall, window, hanging, projecting, wind or roof	May be projecting if business unit has entrance on ground floor; Must be attached to unit if multistory building[; At least one business identification sign must be located on entrance side of a business]	Yes, if sign is greater than 12 square feet
Promotional	1 per business	12 square feet	Banner,	Shall not be	Yes

	establishment; I additional sign may be permitted if business is directly adjacent to more than one street; 6 times per year limit	combined for business/building frontage less than 40 feet; 36 square feet combined for business/building frontage 40 feet or more	wall, or ground if attached to a permanent frame or structure	erected more than 7 days before event and shall be removed 1 day after event, but in no case shall it be erected for more than 14 days	
Window	N/A	50% of available window area	N/A	N/A	No
Information	N/A	10 square feet combined per business	Wall	N/A	No
Ground	1 per lot frontage	16 square feet for lot frontage up to 100 feet; 32 square feet for lot frontage over 100 feet	N/A	May be a directory sign	Yes
Wind	N/A	12 square feet for each building or lot or 4 square feet per establishment, whichever is greater	N/A	N/A	No

SECTION 2. Material to be repealed is bracketed. New material is underscored. In printing this bill, the County Clerk need not include the brackets, the bracketed material, or the underscoring.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take effect upon its approval.

APPROVED AS TO FORM
AND LEGALITY:
Deputy Corporation Counsel